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In re Application of:

Daniel E. ALESI

CUSTOMER NO. 021395

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For: Safety Device for Intravenous
Infusion Needles

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 2, 2002, applicant
elects for prosecution the embodiment shown in Fig. 8 and covered by claims 39-47.

Respectfully submitted,



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